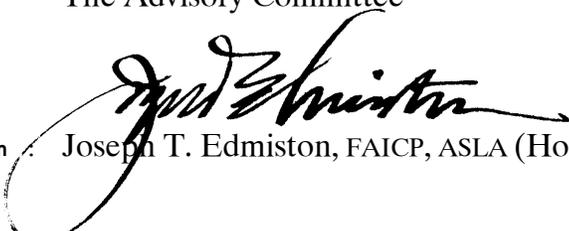


# Memorandum

To : The Conservancy  
The Advisory Committee

Date: August 27, 2007

From :  Joseph T. Edmiston, FAICP, ASLA (Hon.), Executive Director

Subject: **Agenda Item 16: Consideration of resolution authorizing a grant of Proposition 84 funds to the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority to acquire approximately 24 acres (APNS 4467-002-042, 044 and 060), unincorporated Malibu area.**

Staff Recommendation: That the Conservancy authorize a grant of Proposition 84 funds to the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority to acquire approximately 24 acres (APNS 4467-002-042, 044 and 060), unincorporated Malibu area.

Legislative Authority: Sections 33204(c), 33204.2, 33204.27, 75005 and 75060(d)(1) of the Public Resources Code.

Background: The subject property is located adjacent to Ramirez Canyon Park and National Park Service protected parkland. It is located within the watershed of Ramirez Creek which flows directly into the Santa Monica Bay. The property contains important coastal habitat. The acquisition will facilitate an important link in the Coastal Slope Trail which is depicted on the attachment hereto. The acquisition will also promote public access to and enjoyment of coastal resources of the state by providing direct access to Ramirez Canyon Park.